Improvement in Bond Market Feature of Situation---Money Strong HOLD UNDERTAKER

DULL BUT STRONG STOCK MARKET, UNION PACIFIC AND C. & O, SETTING BEST PACE.

hare of making good in this respect.

A number of buying orders were dis-tibuted throughout the list for effect in

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—It was a spotty kind of a market, a spurt of trading now and then, with the Street generally inclined to be bearish, on the strength in money, the heavy loss of cash to the Treasury and the advance in the Bank of England rate. But the bear news has commenced to work more sluggishly than for some time; the response is not as quick, and the inaction has reached the stage where "news" in the common acceptance of the word with regard to the market, fails to rattle or encourage. Commission houses are doing absolutely nothing and the speculation of the average room trader is of the small lot varlety.

The Reading Railroad Company told its story today of decreased earnings, of increased deficit, etc., and it is to be hoped that the employes and the friends of higher freight rates were properly impressed. Rock Island followed along the same lines—the exposition of reduced net earnings, with an object, being the cause of much good natured comment. Other roads are doing their share of making good in this respect.

Ohio. Reading after gaining % settled back to ¼ net loss, and then recovered again to 146. a fractional gain. Union Pacific was high at 166%, and held % of the gain into the last half of the second hour of the afterpoon. Hill stocks slightly easier.

Chesapeake and Ohio opened at 77% American National Bank. Sold to 75%, and held the advance tenactionsly.

oted pressure and the profit-taking it can be counted on to develop with ary advance of any size. Profits are upting and soon taken. The promise of the head of the Admin-

RAILROADS.

C., M. & St. P.pfd.... ... 147

Del., Lack. Western... 495

Eric. 1st pfd...... 44% 44% 44% | 48%

Erie, 2d pfd...... 33% Great North, pfd.....126% 126 | 126%

Kan. City So. com.... 281/2 281/2 281/2 | 281/4 |

N. Y. C. & St. L. 2d... 95 N. Y. Ont. & W...... 41 41 41 401/2

P. C. C. & St. L....... 94½ 94½ 94½ 94¼ Reading, com.......145½ 145½ 145% 145% Rock Isl., com...... 311/8 30% 30% | 311/8

Today's New York Stock Exchange Prices

Quotations furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., members New York Stock Exchange, Washington Stock Exchange, and Chicago Board of Trade, Hibbs Building

INDUSTRIALS.

		1:30	Yes.	444
High.	Low.	p.m.	Close.	H
4756	623/4	4234	51%	A., T. & S. Fe com
				A., T. & S. Fe pfd.,
Am Can com				Atlantic Coast Line
				Balto, & Ohio com 1
			47	Balto. & Ohio pfd
Am. Car Edy., pfd113%	113%	113%	1113	Brooklyn Rap. Trans
Am. Cotton Oil, com	220.4		62	Canadian Pacific
Am. Cotton Oil, coin.			102%	C., C., C. & St. L., c
Am. Cotton Cil, pfd Am. Ice Securities 18	10	10	18	Chesa, & Ghio
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Am. Loco., pfd	661/2	6694	0078	C., M. & St. P.pfd
Am Sm & Re. DIG 101	107	TOT	Laur	C. & N. W. com
Am Sugar & Ref., culle	114	114	1770	Col. & South. com
4 - Count & Ref Dil			115	Del. & Hudson1
A Tol & Tol 139%	1384%	1,53774	100	Del.,Lack.Western
				Den. & R. G. com
Am Woolen com			2814	Den. & R. G. pfd
Am. Woolen, com	94	94	93%	Erie, com
Am. Woolen practice			3814	Eric, 1st pfd
Cent. Leather, com 331/2	2214	2216	3314	Erie, 2d pfd
				Great North, pfd1
Cent. Leather, pfd			21	Illinois Central
Col. F. & I., com	****	****	1 01	Illinois Central
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Con. Gas N. Y 123%	131%	133%	1 18172	Inter. Metro, pfd
C P R com 16	15/2	1072	1928	Kan. City So. com
C P R. pfd 761/2	7632	761/2	7634	Kan. City. So. pfd,
That Committee	****		28	Louis. & Nash
General Electric	****		145	Mo. K. & T. com
General Electric	8%	876	876	Mo. K. & T., pfd
Great Northern Ore 551/2	551/6	553m	55%	Mexican Cent. ctfs
Inter. Paper	0070	0070	1036	M.S.P.&S.S.M.com1
Inter. Steam P			4114	M.S.P. & S.S.M. pf
Inter. Steam P		****	9174	Missouri Pacific
Mackay Co., com	****	****	923/2	Missouri Pacific
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Ry. Steel Spgs., pfd	****		9132	St. L. & S. F., pfd
Rep. I. & S., com 31%	31%	315%	311/2	St. L. S. W.,pfd
Rep. I. & S., pfd			921/2	St. L. S. W., piu
Sloss-S. S. & I., com			55	So. Pacific, com1
Tenn. Copper 32 .	3134	31%	3156	So. Railway com
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				Texas & Pacific
U. S. C. I. P., com	****	****	0/2	Third Avenue
U. S. Rubber, com				T., S. I. & W., com
I. S. Rubber, pfd	****	****	1014	T., St. L. & S.W., pfd.
U. S. Steel, com 68%	681/8	68%	68	Union Pac., com1
U. S. Steel, pfd116%				Union Pacific, pfd,
Utah Copper 45%				Wabash, com
Va. Car. Chem. com. 58%	583/2	58%	58	Wabash, pfd
Wa. Iron Coal & Coke				Wabash, pfd. Wis. Cent., com
West Union Tel 791/2	69%	79%	691/2	Western Md
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BONDS

WALL STREET COMMENT

Harriman & Co.—Rooseveltism will be the issue, and it all points to a most interesting campaign. We still adhere to the belief that this is the time to keep close to the shore, until the factors governing the situation are more clearly defined, but we be-lieve that with a good Democratic candidate in the field, and a period of rest to within ten days or so of the election, all other conditions remain-ing the same, investors and specu-lators for the rise will take heart, and an improvement in values will result even though it may be of a temporary nature. are more clearly defined, but we be-

An order has been placed with the American Car and Foundry Company by the Indian Refining Company for the construction of sixty-nine tank cars.

Hilnols Central R. R. reports for year ended June 30, last: Total operating revenue, increased, \$4,212,394. Other income, increased, \$1,072,164. Total income, increased, \$5,284,549. Gross income, decreased, \$6,574.

The foregoing balance available for dividends is equal to 7.16 per cent on the capital stock as compared with 7.44 per cent earned last year,

Canadian Pacific, for August, shows a gross increase in earnings of \$1,828,-246. Net increase, \$727,614.
Reading, for August-Railway Company's net earnings, increased \$14,957.
Coal and Iron Company, for August, deficit, increased \$85,524. Reading Company, August net theome, decreased \$4,013. Net, all companies, decreased \$74,559. Surplus, decreased \$9,535; from July 1. Net of all companies, decreased \$109,700. Surplus, decreased \$79,755.

Bid and Asked On Local Exchange

GOVERNMENT BON	DS.
. S. Reg. 2's	
. S. Coupon 2's	
. S. Reg. 3's	
. S. Coupon 3's	101%
. S. Reg. 4's	
. S. Coupon 4's	115
. Q. 3.65's	104
GAS BONDS.	
eorgetown Gas 5's	
Vash. Gas 4's	
Tash. Gas Cert. 6's	1001/8
RAILROAD BONDS	
ap. Traction R. R. 5's	
nacostia & Potomac 5's	100
ity & Suburban 5's	
olumbia R. R. 5's	101

politan R. R. 5's....... Ry. & Elec. 4's...... Alex. & Mt. V. 5's... MISCELLANEOUS BONDS. nac Elec. Cons. 5's. nac Elec. Lt. 5's.... PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS

*Capital Traction Wash. Ry. & Elec. com Wash. Ry. & Elec. pfd... MINING STOCK.

NATIONAL BANK STOCKS.

TRUST COMPANY STOCKS SAVINGS BANK STOCKS.

A., T. & S. Fe pfd., 1103% TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS. C., M. & St. P., com... 1214 1201/2 121 | 1201/2

Real Estate Title Ins MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS. Colonial Beach Co...... Emerson Steam Pump.... Den. & R. G. ptd. 72% 72% 72% 72% 72% Grapho ptd. 18
Erie, com. 26¼ 26 25¼ 26 25½ Merch. Trans. & Storage. 115
Security Storage. 200

Washington Market 18% NEW YORK CURB MARKET. Furnished to The Washington Times by Harriman & Co., New York; G. B. Chipman,

inspiration Copper.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

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Texas & Pacific..... 27

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SOME SPECULATION

Operators Paying Small Amount on Possibilities. Fairly Active Market.

Speculation in Gas certificates has come to be rather popular on the local exchange. It doesn't take much money to make the play, and the profit in the event of the speculation turning out successful would be inviting. There is a possibility that the certificates may not be retired, but the probabilities are all the other way. The plan as proposed by the leading stockholders will be put through, if they have the power and they seem to think they have.

smail lot of Mergenthaler brought 230, reflecting the strength in Boston.

Ten lots of ten-shares each of Merchants and Mechanics' Savings Bank stock came out and found a market at

Railway 4's sold at 83% and Traction
"S at 114%.

Washington bankers have no fault to find with the proposition to establish a credit agency in connection with the office of the Comptroller of the Currency. The movement is in line with reformations and changes in bank examiners to other fields and the interchange of information between examiners. It is intended to prevent the spreading of paper from one end of the country to the other.

Bu' information thus garnered by the

paper.

As at present constituted there is no possible way to ascertain the extent to which a house has extended its credit. This information can only be obtained through close harmony between all examiners, and a bureau possessed of this information can be made of inestimable value to the banking business.

TODAY'S SALES.

Washington Railway and Electric 4's,

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Roasts of Lynhaven bay oysters at Cape Henry, salmon trout fishing at Lynhaven Inlet and spot Beach are of the bleating of calves, which, it is alleged, are confined in the yard of the Some of the attractions of a trip to Some of the attraction of the Some of the German National Bank of Pittsburg at the time of the municipal graft exposure, and who is now serving a sentence of eighteen months for bribery, may soon to Columbia University for research in the cause and cure for cancer from which Crocker was a long sufferer.

Sample of the bleating of calves, which, it is alleged, are confined in the yard of the Armour Company, in Cameron street. Neighbors complain that they are unable to sleep on account of the noise.

Stephen F. Gill, son of Policeman of the Markis on a broken piece of the municipal graft exposure, and who is now serving a sentence of eighteen months for bribery, may soon be free. An application for his pardon has been heard by the State board of pardons here.

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Dead Body to Remain Exposed.

AS LAW VIOLATOR

WASHINGTON TIMES BUREAU, ALEXANDRIA, VA., SEPT. 29. "I find upon looking over the laws of the city nothing in these laws to require a dead body ever to be buried." This was the startling statement made by Police Justice Harry B. Caton in the police court this morning during the police court the polic the trial of a colored undertaker, R. A. Gray, who had been arrested charged on the blotter with allowing a decom-posed body to be exposed.

Health Officer E. A. Gorman was one of the witnesses. He stated that the body of a colored man was allowed to lie in a back yard of Gray's place in a pine box, the top of which was slightly raised, allowing the odor to arise. Gray, in his own defense, stated that he could not procure a casket in this city, and went to Washington to secure one, and that he had used \$2 worth of

The funeral of John W. Thompson was

Fitzgerald Council, No. 459, Knights of Columbus, held a largely attended meeting at St. Mary's Hall last evening. The first degree was exemplified to two candidates under the new ritual.

Samuel A. Simmons, against whom an indictment was returned by the grand jury, charging him with being an accessory before the fact to the attack upon Violet McIntyre, for which an indictment has been returned against his son, Will Simmons, this morning was released on a £,500 bond, Capt. James H. Beach and Mrs. Sarah J. Sin.mons becoming the surety. The case of the Simmonses is fixed for Wednesday, October 19.

WESTERN INDIANS

From Oklahoma to Attend Maryland Fair.

WASHINGTON TIMES BUREAU, ANACOSTIA, D. C., SEPT. 29. Indian travelers, making their way by easy stages from Oklahoma to the Southern Maryland Fair, to be held at

The party comprises a family of even, composed of father, mother, and ive children. The father is a fullblooded Choctaw Indian, and has taken the American name of Mitchell. The mother is a Cherokee Indian, known as Paula. There are three daughters and

A large part of the journey from Oklahoma has been made in a wagon.

Two church congregations of Congress heights are preparing for fall events, through which to procure funds for

The members of the Baptist Church, Howard W. Smith appeared for Gray.

Dutch supper on the evening of September 30 in the town hall, on Alabama avenue, will give a novel.

The Alexandria board of aldermen is still without a president. Several efforts have been made within the last month to elect one of the members to the office, but upon each creation that the surface at least. in a few days. least.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wahler, whose mar-

een under way to the Anacostia Meth-The funeral of John W. Thompson was beld from his home at Brickhaven this afternoon, and was largely attended. laying of cement walks and suitable coping, have been completed.

The police of the Eleventh precinct, at

An inquest over the body of an uniquest over the body of an uniquest over the body of an uniquest over the body of the late George Crocker, Queen street dock yesterdae, will be held at Demaine's funeral rooms this evening. Coroner Moore will preside, and the jury will be composed as follows: C. S. Swain, J. E. Johnston, W. Gwynn Dent, H. D. Kirk, Maurice William and S. F. Gill, 1500,000 to Columbia University for the sale of the house was deemed necessary by the executors to carry out the provision in the Crocker will, giving 1500,000 to Columbia University for the sale of the house was deemed necessary by the executors to carry out the provision in the Crocker will, giving 1500,000 to Columbia University for the sale of the home of the late George Crocker, the Californian millionaire, was halted by a court injunction today, the step-children having applied for the restraining order.

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DEMOCRATS FEEL NEAR ANACOSTIA ROOSEVELT'S POWER

IN THE GAS CO. 6'S Alleged to Have Allowed Family of Reds Pushes East Rochester Convention Opens

From Oklahoma to Attend

With Leaders Unsettled With Leaders Unsettled As to Candidate.

> ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 29.-The shadow of Theodore Roosevelt hung over the Democratic State convention when it assembled at noon today.

> Despite the confident assertion ow all the big leaders that this was "indeed a Democratic year," there was not one but conceded that the assumption of responsibility for the outcome of the coming campaign by Roosevelt showed that he expected to elect his ticket. Because of that fact, for the first

> time since Grover Cleveland was named for governor, in 1882, a Democratic State convention gathered without the semblance of a slate. As Roosevelt dominated the Republican convention, so Charles Francis Murphy, of Tam-many Hall, was in the saddle here. Murphy was emphatic in declaring before the gavel of temporary chairman

Alton B. Parker fell at noon that he The members of the Baptist Church, It was generally accepted, however, Alabama avenue, will give a novel that a slate would be framed tonight,

Attack On Tariff.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wahler, whose mariage took place recently in St. Teresa's to be no "straddle" on the cluster new residence, in Wahler place, should not be kept exclusively for the benefit of the bank examiners them selves. In that event it would be a plain case of examiners saying to banks, cut out this paper, there's too much of it floating around.

A simile might be found in the old stery of locking the stable door after the horse had been acquired by the ther. If this credit bureau is to be of the State banks and examiners coperate to officials of all national banks. If the State banks and examiners coperate advantage it ought to be open to officers of State banks.

Naturally, the object of such a bureau would be to safegard the banks. If the banks are posted there will be no call for the examiners to throw out paper.

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VISIT WASHINGTON

you come to town?" and "Where are you staying? We want to see you," were heard today from men, women and Anacostia, were today requested by Carl children as a big automobile passed at

The police of the Eleventh precinct, at Anacostia, were today requested by Carl Soper, proprietor of a Nichois avenue store, to catch a thief who has been stealing doughnuts.

St. Francis Society, an organization connected with St. Teresa's Church, recently held a park restival for the benefit of the church fund, and the sum of 350 has been presented to the church as a result of the outing.

STEPCHILDREN STOP SALE OF MANSION

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BANKER ASKS PARDON.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 29.—W. W. Ramsey, president of the German National Bank of Pittsburg at the time of the stare of the time of the stare of the stare.

St. Francis Society, an organization children as a big automobile passed at a moderate speed up Pennsylvania avenue. At a first glance at the car the occupants were recognized as old friends by every passerby. They were Buster num.

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